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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hank and Sylvia Hight		DKT NO. P-123057.1
SER NO:	10/736,398	
FILED:	December 15, 2003	ART UNIT: 3676
TITLE:	GASKETS AND GASKET LIKE DEVICES INCLUDING FASTENERS FOR GASKETS AND A METHOD FOR MAKING AND USING THE SAME	EXAMINER: Vishal A. Patel
TO: Commissioner of Patents P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED NOVEMBER 17, 2004

Dear Sir:

This correspondence is being filed as a full response to the Final Office Action of November 17, 2004. Please see attached amendments to claims and remarks.



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